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Clearing and colder tonight. To-morrow cloudy with rising temperature; snow or rain in the north by afternoon.

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PRICE THREE CENTS

Will Employ Architect For School Construction Here; Invite Nearby Districts To Join Gettysburg Area Group

The Gettysburg Joint School District board of 27 members Monday evening extended an official invitation to other nearby districts to join the Gettysburg jointure; authorized the joint district planning board to employ an architect for new school construction here and re-elected joint board officers for another year.

Districts to which the invitation to join the Gettysburg joint district is being extended were not named and no deadline was set for action on the invitation. Several directors, however, expressed the opinion that the joint planning board and the supervising principal should consider setting a date by which other boards must act to come into the Gettysburg district.

Authority for the joint district planning board to employ an architect came after Dr. L. C. Keefauver told the directors that the Gettysburg joint district now has a pupil population of 1,578 but that the area about Gettysburg has a potential pupil population of 2,400. Larger school districts can offer greater pupil opportunities and at the same time accomplish some economies, the superintendent pointed out.

He noted a national authority as predicting a 25 to 30 per cent increase in pupil enrollment in the next 10 years.

Need Junior High

In answer to a question from a director, Dr. Keefauver said:

"We must build a junior high school regardless of whether more districts come into our jointure. If we get by with our present facilities for another school year after the current one, that will be the limit. If we don't act by that time to get more buildings, the increase in pupils in the districts already in the jointure will have us looking for some one-room school buildings, that already have been sold, in the townships."

The unanimous action to authorize the planning board, made up of one member from each member board, to employ an architect followed.

The member boards reported to the joint district secretary results of elections of members to the joint board. (Please Turn to Page 8)

SCHOOL BOARDS OF LOCAL JOINT DISTRICT ELECT

Paul M. Rohrbaugh, Steinwehr avenue, was re-elected president of the Gettysburg board of school directors at the annual re-organization meeting held before the Gettysburg Joint School district board organized at the high school building here Monday evening.

Directors of Cumberland, Freedom, Highland and Straban townships at separate board meeting at 7 p. m. conducted their own re-organizations.

The Gettysburg board also re-elected George T. Raffensperger, South Stratton street, as vice president. The organization session was held after Daniel J. Wolff, Seminary avenue, took his oath of office as the new member of the Gettysburg board.

Directors Assigned

Wolff succeeds Mahlon P. Harizell who retired as a member of the board but continues as secretary of the Gettysburg school district.

Mr. Raffensperger presided during the re-organization and administered the oath of office to Mr. Wolff.

Mr. Sydney Poppy was re-appointed. (Please Turn to Page 8)

LIONS GUESTS OF MUSSelman CO.

Members of the Gettysburg Lions club were guests of the C. H. Musselman company, Biglerville, at their weekly dinner meeting Monday night.

After a short business meeting, the Lions were conducted on a tour of the plant and were shown the various operations in apple processing. The Musselman company employs who acted as guides were John Frederick, Robert Burkhardt, George Martin and A. S. Stauffer.

During the meeting, it was decided not to meet on Mondays, December 26 and January 2. President Donald M. Swope explained to the club the manner in which applications for membership are processed since the club membership has been "rozen" at 120.

Clair Shillito greeted the Lions on behalf of John A. Hauser, president of Musselman firm, and President Swope thanked the hosts for the dinner and tour.

Guests present included Howard Schwartz and George Pyle. Members of the Upper Adams Lions club who attended were Harry Geisselman, Donald Horst, Russell Hackman and Mr. Shillito.

Local Weather

Yesterday's high 42
Last night's low 30
Today at 1:30 p. m. 40

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Gets More Than 300 Gifts On Birthday

Mrs. Fanny Hartzell, Fairfield, who celebrated her 80th birthday Monday, today extended her thanks to the entire community. She received 160 birthday cards, 150 handkerchiefs and a number of other gifts on the occasion. The gifts and cards were held at the Fairfield post office as a surprise for Mrs. Hartzell. When her grandson picked up the mail, he had a huge basket full of greetings and gifts to deliver to his grandmother.

LEGIONNAIRES ASKED TO HELP VETS WITH BONUS

Roy A. Alexander, veterans affairs director, Monday evening asked members of the Albert J. Lentz American Legion post to volunteer for the work of aiding veterans fill out their applications for the state bonus.

Speaking at a regular meeting of the Lentz post, held in the Legion home on Baltimore street, Alexander said that the Legion plans to provide assistance to all veterans who wish the aid in filling out the applications.

The work probably will start sometime in January, he said. State officials expect the forms will be available sometime between January 1 and 15. When the applications are available they will be brought to the local Legion home, and veterans will be able to secure the forms there.

Conflicting Addresses
Alexander said there are a number of veterans who lived all of their

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POULTRY MEN HEAR ABOUT NEW DISEASE

The Adams County Poultry Federation at its meeting Monday evening at the court house called upon all poultry raisers in the county to report immediately "even the slightest suspicion" that there might be infectious bronchitis in their flock.

Immediate reports on infectious bronchitis will help the county to take preventive measures against the disease which depletes egg production and quality, Roy Heckenluber, president of the county federation, said.

The disease symptoms appear much like Newcastle disease, Heckenluber and others noted. The difference comes after the laying hen has gotten over the disease. Recovering from Newcastle, the hen begins to produce eggs at normal rate again. Following infectious bronchitis, the hen never regains her egg producing capacity to any great extent.

"Tighter" Times Ahead
Heckenluber pointed out that chickens with the disease should be taken to the Bureau of Animal Industry laboratory at Summerdale, about two miles north of Wormleysburg. When the laboratory certifies that infectious bronchitis is present in Adams county flocks, an antitoxin will be released for use in the county. The antitoxin is given to chickens on the range before they begin to produce eggs.

William F. Johnstone, agricultural economist from State College, warned the poultrymen that they are in for a tighter financial squeeze during the coming year.

There will be a slight decrease in the demand for eggs and other poultry products during 1950 because of the expected slight decline of business prosperity, he noted.

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MANY OUT OF WORK IN COUNTY

Adams county's unemployment situation is steadily worsening, E. A. Crouse, manager of the local Pennsylvania State Employment office, revealed today.

He appealed to employers who may have openings to let his office know so that some answer may be given to the more than 500 currently seeking work in the county.

While the number of unemployed is high, it has not reached the post-war high recorded late last winter, Crouse said. He added, however, that present indications point toward a repetition of the unemployment situation of last winter unless the trend is halted now.

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Not only Adams countians but persons from as far away as Lancaster county are besieging the local PSES office with requests for jobs, Crouse said.

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Announce Program For Xmas Concert By College Choir

Solos by Martha L. Herman, Margaret B. McGuire and Maude E. Aurand; Christmas hymns, in which the audience will join; special numbers for the Nativity tableau and the Christmas message, will highlight the 15th annual Christmas program by the Gettysburg college choir, to be presented Sunday night at 8:30 in the Eddie Plank memorial gymnasium.

The choir of 55 mixed voices will be under the direction of Parker B. Wagnild, head of the music department at the college.

The program will open with two overtures by the college orchestra under the direction of Harry F. Bolich, "Christmas Andante" by Brahms, and "Sonata Pathetique" by Beethoven.

Following the call to worship, the audience will join in the hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful." The Rev. Howard McCarnay, college chaplain, will read the Christmas gospel.

The tableau will be presented by

Cured By New Drug

Ralph Pitzer (right) of near Biglerville, who was the first human being to be cured of a urinary tract infection by the new wonder drug, Neomycin, is shown at his home with Mrs. Pitzer (center) just before leaving to speak on the We The People broadcast last Friday evening. Miss Thelma Bradshaw, of a New York radio staff, is shown at the left.—(Photo by Diehl studio)



Only One Arrest Is Made By Borough Police In November; Digging Permits Net \$4,973.98

Either a new law in law enforcement has been reached in Gettysburg, or the town is getting so good that almost no crime is committed.

"I have had only one arrest reported submitted to me for the month of November, which was for a motor violation," the monthly report of Chief of Police Robert C. Harpster, submitted to borough council Monday night in the engine house.

As is customary, the remaining two councilmen from the First ward were asked for recommendations, and Councilman Samuel Weiser nominated Charles Ogden, March, in effect, recommended himself.

Asked To Serve

"I've been asked by several persons to serve the unexpired term."

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LITTLESTOWN RITTER HEADS JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD

Luther W. Ritter, East King street, Littlestown, was elected president of the Littlestown School Jointure at the organization meeting of the new executive board of the jointure Monday evening in the Littlestown Junior-Senior high school, York Springs. The report showed a balance at the end of November of \$30,888.18. Receipts were \$10,932.56 and expenditures \$6,988.29.

Parking meters receipts were \$1,635.80 during the month. Chambersburg street meters took in \$371.97; Center square, \$367.58; Baltimore street, \$356.24; York street, \$289.71; Carlisle street, \$161.69 and West Middle street, \$82.25.

Referring to the large number of digging permits and the amount of excavating work being done on the streets, Borough Engineer LeRoy H. Winebrenner said a representative of the state highway department here recently had "frowned" on the amount of digging.

EXPENSIVE REPAIR WORK

"If it continues the state may take over the digging permits and the borough will have to pay for them," Winebrenner said. "The ordinance should be revised. The concrete alone to repair holes in Steinwehr avenue cost more than was paid into the borough in digging permit fees," he said.

The question was referred to the highway committee and the borough engineer.

A petition, signed by 31 residents of the Highland avenue section, asking that property owners on South Washington street and the south side of Highland be notified to lay sidewalks, was tabled on the grounds that no work could be done during the winter and a new council will take over in January.

The petitioners asked that new sidewalks be built by Viola Clay, Edna C. Walker, V. W. S. Dutcher, (Please Turn to Page 5)

WOMEN GOLFERS GIVEN TROPHIES

Fifty women attended a covered dish supper and ladies' night at the Gettysburg Country Club Monday evening when golf trophies were awarded and bridge and canasta were played.

Golf trophies were presented by Riley Heckert, the club's golf pro, to Mrs. George Bender as the club's women's golfing champion for 1948 and 1949. Her name will be inscribed on a plaque to be hung on the club house walls. Each year, the champion's name will be added to the list on the plaque.

Miss Fred B. Bryson received a trophy from Mr. Heckert as second flight winner and Mrs. Henry M. Scharf was given trophy as third flight winner.

Winners at bridge were Mrs. C. H. Held, Mrs. Philip M. Jones and Mrs. Charles H. Smith. The canasta winners were Mrs. Philip Huzes, Mrs. William Jacobs and Mrs. Mares Sherman.

Christmas decorations were used for the party which was arranged by Mrs. Glenn L. Bream, Mrs. Bryson, Mrs. Robert Kenworthy and Mrs. Robert Derck.

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"Santa And The Magician"

SANTA AND THE MAGICIAN Chapter 1

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Fairfield Cemetery Association To Meet

The annual meeting of the Fairfield Union cemetery association will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the parish house of Zion Lutheran church, Fairfield.

Members to the board of directors will be elected, the annual treasurer's report made and other business transacted in regards to the upkeep of the cemetery.

All citizens of the community are urged to attend.

COUNCIL NAMES MARCH TO FILL UNEXPIRED TERM

Borough council elected one of its own members to fill the vacancy caused by the death on November 4 of Councilman Wilbur J. Stallsmith, and appointed a new borough auditor at its December meeting Monday night in the engine house.

George D. March, whose term as First ward councilman expires this year, and who was

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Expect Good Business

Yet few of them expect a major price whirl in the next 12 months. The "disinflation" is not over for some important industries. Many economists believe the long-range hazard is deflation.

A consensus of the forecasts might boil down to this: 1950 will be another year of high income and high production, on a level of prosperity not too unlike 1949 and not far below record-smashing 1948.

Inflation warnings have been uttered by two bank presidents and other witnesses before Senator Douglas' (D-Ill.) Economic subcommittee. These have stirred speculation whether Mr. Truman will again seek controls over prices, wages, commodity trading and materials allocation.

The decision, if it is not already made, will come in the next month as the President prepares his annual economic message to the new session of Congress.

Persons in close touch with White House planning say a new bid for controls is unlikely and, even if one comes, would be turned down by Congress.

Red Ink Spending

This view is voiced by Senator Flanders of Vermont, a Republican manufacturer and a member of the Senate-House Economic committee who usually votes with the Democratic majority.

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Abraham Lincoln Descendant Dies

Reading, Pa., Dec. 5 (AP)—A descendant of Abraham Lincoln died here on Friday at the age of 73. He was Harrison T. Lincoln, caretaker at the Pendora Park fieldhouse of Reading.

Lincoln was for 30 years a democratic party worker, and was a member of the Berks county prison board. He is survived by a son, J. Lester Lincoln, of Womelsdorf, and a daughter, Mrs. Catherine Crammes, of Lancaster.

Burial will be in Schwarzwald cemetery, Exeter township, where President Lincoln's grandfather lived.

Turnpike Extension Ahead Of Schedule

Harrisburg, Dec. 5 (AP)—Work on the 100-mile eastern extension of the Pennsylvania turnpike is running 40 construction weeks ahead of schedule.

The Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission said that as a result the opening of the road may come in advance of the original Dec. 1, 1950 estimate.

More than 21 miles of the new toll road, running from Middlesex to King of Prussia near Philadelphia, has already been paved, the commission said. It added that 44 per cent of the \$75,000,000 project has been graded with provisions made for drawing and bridge construction.

Reviewing other progress on the new toll road extension, the commission said piers for a high-level bridge over the Susquehanna river south of Harrisburg are now in place.

It takes away from the public. That is the estimated rate of red ink spending for this fiscal year, ending next June 30.

HOT, FIERY GAS Stomach Like A Furnace

A Gettysburg man said recently that his stomach used to burn like a gas factory! That is, when he ate a meal it seemed to turn right into hot gas. He was always bloated, had gas pains daily. But now this man says he is FREE OF STOMACH GAS and he says the change is due to taking CERTA-VIN. His meals agree with him.

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PARALLELS AND CONTRASTS IN MAJOR PARTIES

By L. U. LESLIE

Harrisburg, Dec. 5 (AP)—Pennsylvania's two political parties present both close parallels and sharp contrasts at slate-making for the 1950 election gets underway.

The parallels are:

1. U.S. Senator Francis J. Myers, Democrat, and Gov. James H. Duff, Republican, have no opposition, so far, for the party nomination for the U.S. senatorship. Both are expected to make the race but neither has committed himself.

2. The field for the nomination for governor is wide open in each party. There is a long list of possible candidates in both parties for leaders to consider when they get around the conference table to make up a ticket.

Contrasts Within

The contrast is provided by the situation within the Republican and Democratic parties.

On the GOP side, a split between

Governor Duff and the Grundy element came out into the open in the 1948 national convention at Philadelphia when U.S. Senator Edward Martin plumped for New York's Governor Thomas E. Dewey for the presidential nomination.

Before the final vote was taken at the convention, the faction within the Pennsylvania delegation headed by former U.S. Senator Joseph R. Grundy favored Dewey's nomination. Duff, and delegates siding with him, opposed it.

Tough Nut To Crack

There has been no development to indicate the breach has been closed. However, there have instructions of moves to bring the two factions together on a harmony ticket for 1950 to avoid a "no-holds-barred" primary fight. Informed sources point out that agreement on a candidate for governor presents the biggest nut to crack since the Grundy element, to date, has entered no candidate for the senatorship.

On the Democratic side, there is no sign of factionalism such as split the party in 1938 with three tickets entered in the primary. In the succeeding general election, Republicans recaptured the governorship

after Democrats held it only four years for the first time in half a century.

Two Events Coming

All Democratic leaders agree that Senator Myers will be the party's candidate for re-election without opposition. They say they will wait until after the holidays to get down to the business of slating his running mate for governor and pick candidates for lieutenant governor and secretary of internal affairs.

Two events this week, in each party, may have some significance on party slate-making.

The Democratic 12-member policy committee will meet here Friday, possibly to consider State Chairman Philip Mathews' resignation from that post.

Possible Candidate

While Mathews, in advance of the meeting, has declined to comment on his impending resignation re-

lative sources said he wished to step down to give more time to operating his radio station at nearby Carlisle. Other reports, however, hint the move might be one to pave the way for him to be considered as a possible candidate for governor.

The Pennsylvania society will hold its annual dinner Saturday in New York—an event that has been a sounding board in the past for Republican ticket talking in advance of important political campaigns.

Duff will be absent from the dinner. While plenty of his lieutenants will be on hand, reliable GOP sources doubt if any decisions will be made in Duff's absence. The governor will attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Governors' conference in Chicago next Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Edinburgh is sometimes called "Old Smoky."

Pittsburgh, Dec. 5 (AP)

Billy Meyer, manager of the Pittsburgh

Pirates, is confident a youth move-

ment will help the club finish in the

first division next season. Admit-

tedly disappointed over the sixth

gaining as far back as 1846.

place showing of the club this year. Meyer says the 1950 club will average the youngest in the National league.

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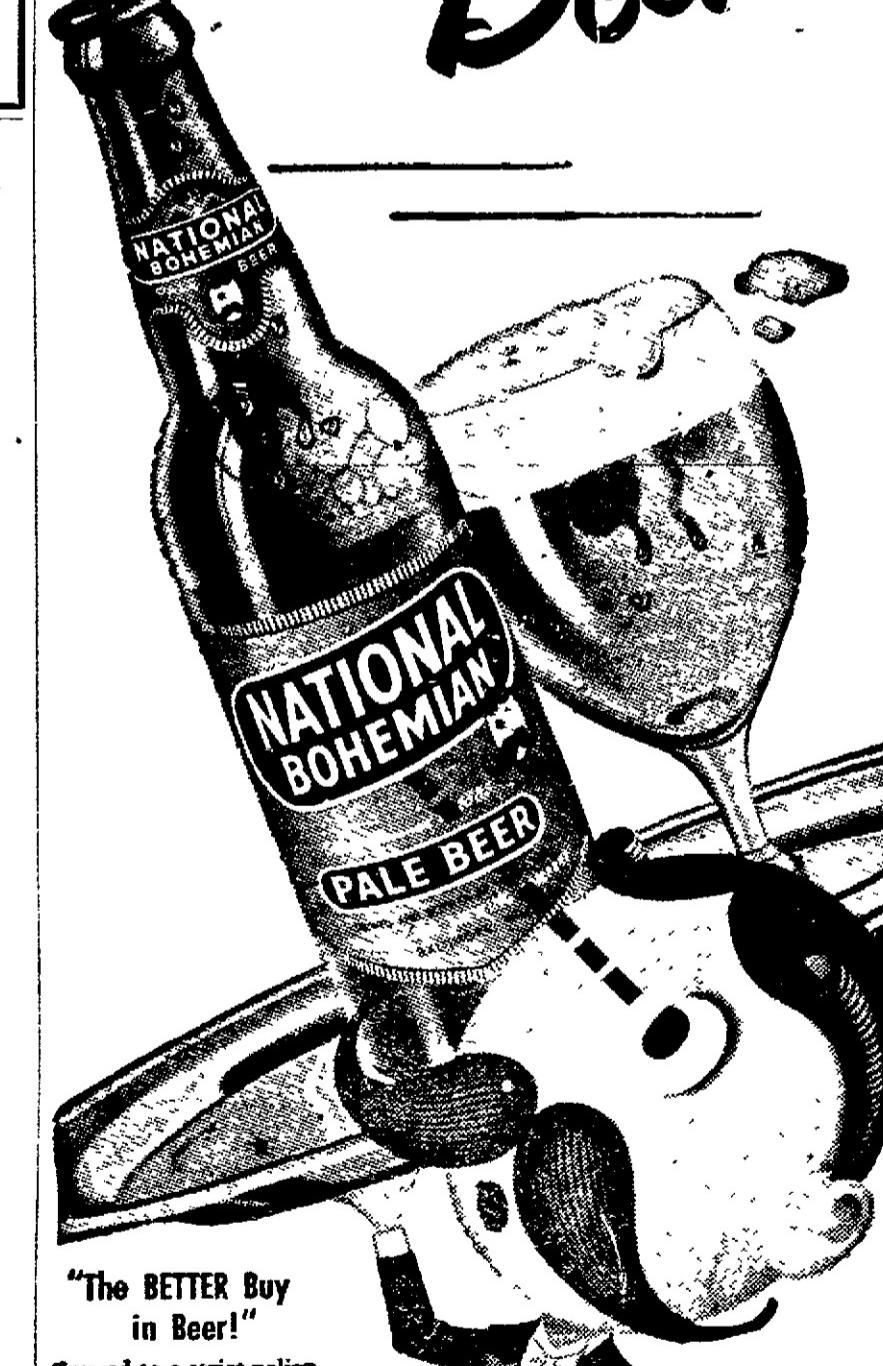
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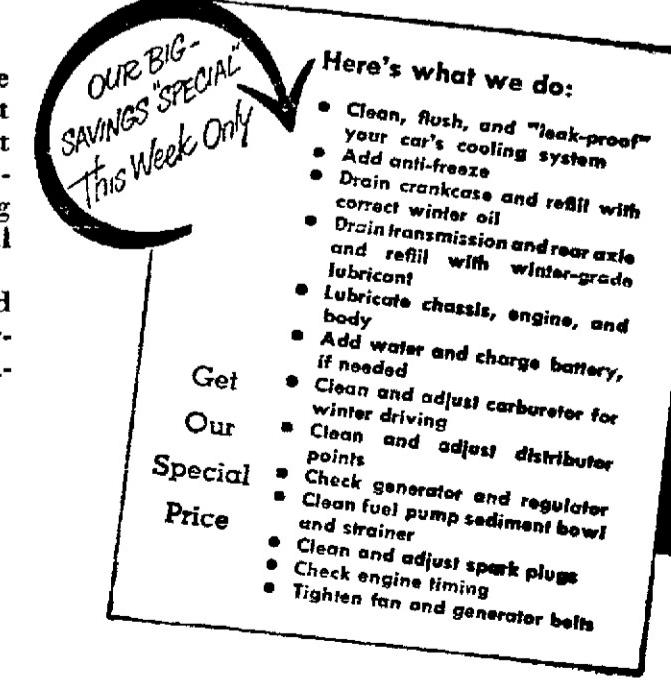


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REV. EHRHART ACCEPTS CALL

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or 192-W

The Rev. John H. Ehrhart, native of Hampton, Adams county, and former pastor of the Cashtown Reformed church, has resigned as pastor of Christ Evangelical and Reformed church, Roaring Springs, Pa., to accept the pastorate of St. John's Evangelical and Reformed church, Lewisburg. The change is effective January 4.

The Rev. Mr. Ehrhart graduated from York Springs high school in 1935 and received his A.B. degree from Gettysburg college in 1940. He attended the Reformed seminary at Lancaster, where he received his D.D. degree. He was ordained and installed as pastor of the Reformed churches at Cashtown, McKnightstown and Fairfield at a special service on June 6, 1948, in St. John's church, Fairfield.

During his pastorate in this country, Rev. Ehrhart held various services in the second and sixth Sunday school districts and was president of the Gettysburg Classis Ministry for one year. He was also a member of the Adams County Welfare board. He resigned his Cashtown pastorate December 15, 1946, to accept the call to Roaring Springs, where he has been active in young people's work, a member of the Kingdom service committee of the Central Pennsylvania synod and member of the board of directors of the Hoffmann orphanage.

Mrs. Ehrhart is the former Miss Evelyn Conti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ottavio Conti, 211 North Washington street. Rev. and Mrs. Ehrhart were married February 11, 1943, and have three sons.

At Lewisburg Rev. Ehrhart will succeed Rev. Dr. Perry L. Smith, now assistant field secretary of the Evangelical and Reformed church. His address will be 51 North Third street, Lewisburg.

**Attendance Rises
During Campaign**

The Bigerville Evangelical United Brethren church brought to a close its "Strengthen the Sunday School" campaign Sunday. The campaign was held over a six-week period extending from October 30 to December 4.

Special programs were held each Sunday during the campaign as follows: October 30, Booster Day; November 6, Rally Day; November 13, Talent Day; November 20, Family Day; November 27, Missionary Day; December 4, Decision Day.

At the last service there were three decisions for Christ. At the beginning of the campaign the Sunday School membership was 129; the membership is now 152. Average attendance last year over this six-week period was 74, while this year over the same period the average attendance was 130. This was a 75 per cent increase in attendance during the campaign.

**Oldest Resident Of
Wenksville Is 93**

Wenksville's oldest resident has reason for celebrating today. He is Freddie Showers and this day marks his 93rd birthday.

Mr. Showers has done a lot of living and still is spry. He is enjoying good health and it still very active. Attending church and other community gatherings is no hardship for him and he seldom misses church services or any community activity.

This fall Mr. Showers defied old age to pick apples and husk corn.

As a little boy, Freddie Showers climbed a tree to watch the troops of the Civil war go marching past. Today he is a great, great-grandfather.

Mrs. George D. Stahley, Carlisle, street, is in Easton, Pa., where she will attend the funeral services of Miss Mary Illrich.

Mrs. George Gilbert, West Middle street, spent Monday in Chambersburg where she attended the funeral of her uncle, Ross Elsworth.

David Clutz, of Mercersburg, spent the week-end visiting Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Hartman, Springs avenue.

The regular meeting of the VFW Auxiliary will be held at the post home Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Members are asked to bring aprons for the apron and bake sale to be held at Shank's Hardware store, Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Cy. Monforte, of Plainfield, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Monforte's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel McLaughlin, Railroad street.

The following women of the VFW Auxiliary attended the district meeting at Mt. Wolf, Sunday; Ruth Miller, Martha Sickles, Oma Furney, Erma Keeler and Mrs. Pearl Wiser.

Mrs. Kenneth L. Smoke, North Washington street, entertained the alumnae advisory council of the Phi Mu sorority at her home Monday evening.

Mrs. G. R. Larkin, North Stratton street, entertained the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club at a Christmas party at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The alumnae and active members of the Beta Chi chapter of the Alpha Xi Delta sorority will hold a Christmas party for pledges at the Gettysburg Country club next Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Stout, Hanover street, will entertain the Acorn club at her home next Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Johnson, East Broadway, entertained the following guests at Graeffenburg Inn, Sunday: Comm. T. Senora Reuben Piedrahita of the Colombian embassy, Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Q. W. Hershey, York Springs.

Jean Harner, a student nurse at Bryn Mawr hospital, spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harner, Chambersburg street.

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Social Happenings

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Approximately 62 persons attended the Bi Lambda Sigma honorary economic and political science society initiation and banquet held at the Hotel Gettysburg, Monday evening. Thirty-nine were initiated into the society at the Phi Kappa Psi period. Rev. Frank Reynolds, Littlestown, was the guest speaker. Harry Schegelich, president of the chapter, was toastmaster.

Charles Kranias, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kranias, North Washington street.

The Tuesday evening bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. Ralph Butt, Seminary avenue, Tuesday evening, January 3, 1950.

Mrs. Ernest Kranias and daughter, Mary Lou, and Miss Gloria Kargas, North Washington street, spent Thursday in Harrisburg.

Prof. Raymond W. Young, York street, recently spent several days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young, Sr., of North Bergen, N. J.

James Smith, Philadelphia, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, South Stratton street.

Miss Roxie Stambaugh, a student at the University of Maryland Nursing school, Baltimore, is spending a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Marion Stambaugh, Carlisle street. Miss Stambaugh recently had a tonsillectomy performed at the University hospital.

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The Pathfinder Sunday school class of the Bigerville Lutheran church will hold its annual Christmas party Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Walter Wright. The associate hostess will be Mrs. Oscar Rice, Sr. An exchange of 50-cent gifts will be held.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schwartz and family, of Pittsburgh, were recent visitors of Mrs. Schwartz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lawver, of Bigerville.

Mrs. Clarence Ecker, of Heidersburg, and her daughter, Mrs. Rosser Wickline, of Five Points, were recent visitors in York.

The King's Daughters' class of Bethlehem Lutheran Sunday school, Bendersville, will hold its Christmas class party December 16 with C. S. Starner, Aspers. All members are urged to attend. There will be an exchange of gifts which are not to cost over 50 cents.

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Fights Last Night

Philadelphia—Ike Williams, 135, Trenton, N. J., outpointed Freddy Dawson, 134, Chicago (15).

Providence, R. I.—Don Williams, 144½, Worcester, Mass., outpointed Ralph Zannelli, 145½, Providence (12).

Toronto—Jean Richard, 135, Montreal, outpointed Alan McFater, 134, Toronto (8).

Newark, N. J.—Lew Jenkins, 139, Sweetwater, Tex., knocked out Johnny De Fazio, 137½, Bayonne, N. J. (8).

Washington—Charley Titone, 124½, Brooklyn, outpointed Art Llanos, 123, Puerto Rico (10).

New York—Tony La Rue, 139, New York, outpointed Jay White, 137½, New York (6).

Baltimore—Al Davis, 132½, New York, outpointed Tommy Sheppard, 133, Baltimore (10).

Elks Lodge To Fete College Grid Squad

The Gettysburg college football team will be guests of honor of the Gettysburg Lodge of Elks at a stag turkey dinner Thursday evening, December 15, at 6:30 o'clock.

John "Ox" DeGrosa, Philadelphia, former Holy Cross college coach, will be the speaker.

Basketball Scores

(By The Associated Press)

Scholastic

East Washington, 45; Waynesburg, 36.

Hershey Industrial, 39; Camp Hill, 23.

Enola, 36; Boiling Springs, 35.

Tyrone, 56; Moshannon Joint, 13.

Martinsburg (Pa.), 38; Juniata Valley, 19.

Philadelphia, Dec. 6 (AP)—General Electric company has disclosed production of an X-ray microscope that can show the inside of things through which light cannot pass. In other words: It can look into a bar of steel or a bar of candy.

The new instrument was shown for the first time at a meeting of the American society for X-ray and electron diffraction.

1949 South Penn All-Conference Football Selections

Made by the South Penn Sportswriters' Association

FIRST TEAM

Name	Nickname	School	Pos.	Age	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Votes
Donald Badorf	"Don"	Mechanicsburg	E	17	6-1	163	Sr.	*16
Charles Kitzmiller	"Kitzie"	Gettysburg	T	18	5-11	178	Sr.	20
Clyde Cleveland	.....	Gettysburg	G	15	5-8	167	So.	19
Charles Kohlhaas	"Kohly"	Mechanicsburg	C	18	6-2	196	Sr.	23
Daniel Kopenhaver	"Kopy"	Hershey	G	16	5-9	145	Sr.	*13
James Shindie	"Jim"	Waynesboro	T	18	6-0	209	Sr.	18
Ray Shaw	"Ray"	Chambersburg	E	17	6-0	185	Sr.	25
Donald Eyer	"Hands"	Chambersburg	B	19	6-1	180	Sr.	25
Robert Sachs	"Bobby"	Gettysburg	B	17	5-9½	150	Sr.	18
George Cuthbert	Mechanicsburg	B	18	5-10	186	Jr.	23
Donald Waters	"Mike"	Chambersburg	B	17	5-10	175	Jr.	15

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Glenn Lester	Hanover	E	17	5-9	150	Sr.	*16
Robert Etter	"Peep"	Chambersburg	T	17	5-10	165	Sr.	14
Carl Mease	"Moose"	Hershey	G	17	6-1	165	Sr.	*13
Edward Beltzhoover	"Ed"	Carlisle	C	17	5-8	170	Sr.	11
Ronald Ahlers	"Fats"	Carlisle	G	16	5-11	192	Sr.	9
Richard Plaster	"Dick"	Shippensburg	T	17	6-1	210	Jr.	*8
Robert Snowberger	"Boogie"	Waynesboro	E	18	6-1	185	Sr.	14
Donald Cormean	"Donnie"	Mechanicsburg	B	17	5-8½	147	Sr.	12
Donald Rickrode	"Rick"	Chambersburg	B	16	5-10	170	Sr.	11
Leroy Houser	"Roy"	Hershey	B	16	5-11	160	Jr.	11
William Neail	"Bill"	Hanover	B	17	5-10	160	Jr.	11

HONORABLE MENTIONS

Ends—John Sholley, Mechanicsburg, 6; William Turner, Carlisle, 3. Tackles—Glen Still, Carlisle, 8; Jack Jordan, Mechanicsburg, 6; Earl Hartlaub, Hanover, 3; Harold Basenore, Hershey, 3. Guards—Samuel Musser, Chambersburg, 8; Eugene Davis, Gettysburg, 8; Victor Powley, Mechanicsburg, 5; James Miller, Shippensburg, 5. Center—William Bucher, Gettysburg, 6. Backs—Glen Karper, Shippensburg, 8; Ronald Jenkins, Carlisle, 8; Donald Hahn, Hanover, 6; Donald Miller, Chambersburg, 6; Samuel Alexander, Carlisle, 3; Kenneth Biesecker, Gettysburg, 3. (*Ties broken by subsequent balloting.)

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College Athletic Officials Meeting

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Under a new coach, Ivy Williamson, the Badgers won three of their first five conference games, tied another, and were not eliminated from Rose Bowl contention until their final contest, in which they bowed to Minnesota by 14-6.

Louisiana State, which won a sugar Bowl assignment by walloping such home-conference luminaries as Rice, Tulane and North Carolina, proved a strong second choice among the ballotters.

Virginia and Pittsburgh were tied for third, each having been singled out by five voters as the surprise package of the campaign.

Other teams which received at least one vote for having done the unexpected were Baylor, Maryland, UCLA, Princeton, Southern California, Villanova Oregon State, Rice, Kentucky, Santa Clara, Purdue, Army, Notre Dame, College of the Pacific, Stanford, Michigan State and Gannon College of Erie, Pa.

HOT RACE FOR PASSING TITLE

Philadelphia, Dec. 6 (AP)—A half dozen players are in the midst of a hot race for the National football league's passing championship.

NFL statistics released today show the closest race in history for the league passing crown with Charley Connerly of the New York Giants holding grimly to a narrow lead.

But Tommy Thompson of the champion Philadelphia Eagles and winner of the diamond last year is closing with a rush and moved into second place one and one-half points behind Connerly under the league's inverse grading system.

Connerly and Thompson match their marksmanship again next Sunday in the final game of the season and the man who does the best pitching probably will win the title.

In nearly all the other individual departments, the final game of the season will do little to change the picture.

Steve Van Buren of the Eagles, greatest ground gainer in the league's history, holds a 68-yard margin over Green Bay's surprising Tony Canadeo in rushing with a new league mark for one season already to his credit.

Binghamton Drafts Ex-Bullet Player

First Baseman Russell (Honey) Wilmer of Harrisburg, who played with Richmond of the Piedmont league, was drafted by the Binghamton club of the Eastern league during Monday's draft meeting at the minor league meeting at Baltimore.

Wilmer started his athletic career during his high school days in Harrisburg and graduated into organized baseball after working with various Harrisburg sandlot clubs.

For a time he assisted Ditty Cochlin as a coach of an American Legion Junior team.

Wilmer, a former star at Gettysburg college, started his pro career in 1948 with Natchez, Miss. He jumped to Richmond at the start of the 1949 season.

BUYS HAGERSTOWN OWLS

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 6 (AP)—Eugene J. C. Rainey, Hagerstown Bowling alley proprietor, has bought the Hagerstown Owls on the Class B Interstate baseball league. Sale of

the club, which finished last in the 1948 pennant race, was announced yesterday by owner Orin Sterling.

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IKE WILLIAMS

WINS; REVEALS

"FIX" REPORTED

Philadelphia, Dec. 6 (AP)—Ike Williams still rules the lightweights but he furnished more excitement in his dressing room than he did outpointing Chicago's Freddie Dawson in Convention Hall's ring.

The champion, in an unusual pre-fight press conference last night, called reporters to his dressing room and told them he feared a "fix."

Williams related that he received a telephone call during the afternoon in which the caller said if the bout went the full 15 rounds the championship would change hands.

Frank (Blinky) Palermo, who signed a contract to manage the Trenton, N. J., negro for another three years, refused to put much credence in the report. But at Williams' insistence called the sports writers from ringside.

Ike refused to elaborate on his statement or give the name of the person who called him.

"Bum Steer"

But after taking a unanimous but close decision from Dawson that displeased many in the house of 10,398, Williams said his fears apparently resulted from a "bum steer."

The odds, however, on the champion dropped during the day from 12 to 5 to 5½ to 5 as plenty of money showed for the Chicagoan. In three previous non-title bouts they fought a ten-round draw, Williams won by a knockout in another and took the third by a close decision.

He recommended that farmers intensify their efforts to reduce costs, without cutting out any essentials, and admitted that the hardest hit will be those, particularly young farmers, who have just come into the poultry business and have high interest payments to meet.

Another reason for forecasting a decline in poultry and egg prices is based on the fact that there are more chickens on the farms now than a year ago. Because of favorable feed prices, there was "quite an expansion of poultry during the past year," he noted.

The next meeting of the poultry federation will be held in February. The January meeting will be cancelled because of the state Farm Show.

Philadelphia, Dec. 6 (AP)—One youth was killed and three others injured seriously in an automobile bus crash while they were en route to a church dance, police reported.

Killed was John Pepple, 15, and the three other boys were thrown from the car on Sunday after it skidded and collided with a bus. No one in the bus was injured.

Christian county Attorney W. E. Rogers said the murder warrant was turned over to state police and was expected to be served on Slay at Evansville today.

Slay, a 22-year-old law student at Florida State University, is being held at Evansville, where he confessed the hammer-slaying of his Evansville high school sweetheart who he said had entreated: "Let's die in each other's arms."

Knowing that something must snap to break the trade jam, Brooklyn, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh and the Giants are patiently bidding their time. They want to see

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Among the laugh-getters are Frick and Frack; Les Hamilton and Virginia Morrison in "The Skating Lesson"; Bill Cameron in "Building Bee"; icecom's version of Gautier's Brillianders; Ole Ericson and John Mulvey, fore and aft respectively, of a wistful St. Bernard dog in "To the Rescue"; the acrobatic Le Due brothers in "Fisherman's Luck"; Montel Phillips, Dick Mershon and Bert Panting in "The Dream of Snoopy Bear"; and Dick Rasmussen and Cameron as a Bowery dude and his dame in "The Bowery."

WISCONSIN IS "SURPRISE" 11

New York, Dec. 6 (P)—Wisconsin, which rallied from a disastrous 48 season to make a valiant fight for the Big Ten title this year has been voted the "surprise" college football team of 1949 in a nationwide Associated Press poll of sports writers and sportscasters.

Under a new coach, Ivy Williamson, the Badgers won three of their first five conference games, tied another, and were not eliminated from Rose Bowl contention until their final contest, in which they bowed to Minnesota by 14-6.

Louisiana State, which won a Sugar Bowl assignment by walloping such home-conference luminaries as Rice, Tulane and North Carolina, proved a strong second choice among the ballotters.

Virginia and Pittsburgh were tied for third, each having been singled out by five voters as the surprise package of the campaign.

Other teams which received at least one vote for having done the unexpected were Baylor, Maryland, UCLA, Princeton, Southern Calif., Villanova Oregon State, Rice, Kentucky, Santa Clara, Purdue, Army, Notre Dame, College of the Pacific, Stanford, Michigan State and Gannon College of Erie, Pa.

HOT RACE FOR PASSING TITLE

Philadelphia, Dec. 6 (P)—A half dozen players are in the midst of a hot race for the National football league's passing championship.

NFL statistics released today show the closest race in history for the league passing crown with Charley Conerly of the New York Giants holding grimly to a narrow lead.

But Tommy Thompson of the champion Philadelphia Eagles and winner of the diadem last year is closing with a rush and moved into second place one and one-half points behind Conerly under the league's inverse grading system.

Conerly and Thompson match their marksmanship again next Sunday in the final game of the season and the man who does the best pitching probably will win the title.

In nearly all the other individual departments, the final game of the season will do little to change the picture.

Steve Van Buren of the Eagles, greatest ground gainer in the league's history, holds a 68-yard margin over Green Bay's surprising Tony Canadeo in rushing with a new league mark for one season already to his credit.

Binghamton Drafts Ex-Bullet Player

First Baseman Russell (Honey) Wilman of Harrisburg, who played with Richmond of the Piedmont League, was drafted by the Binghamton club of the Eastern League during Monday's draft meeting at the minor league meeting at Baltimore.

Wilman started his athletic career during his high school days in Harrisburg and graduated into organized baseball after working with various Harrisburg sandlot clubs. For a time he assisted Ditty Cochlin as a coach of an American Legion Junior team.

Wilman, a former star at Gettysburg college, started his pro career in 1948 with Natchez, Miss. He jumped to Richmond at the start of the 1949 season.

BUYS HAGERSTOWN OWLS
Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 6 (P)—Eugene J. C. Rainey, Hagerstown Bowling alley proprietor, has bought the Hagerstown Owls on the Class B Interstate baseball league. Sale of

the club, which finished last in the 1949 pennant race, was announced yesterday by owner Orin Sterling.

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1949 South Penn All-Conference Football Selections

Made by the South Penn Sportswriters' Association

FIRST TEAM

Name	Nickname	School	Pos.	Age	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Votes
Donald Badorf	"Don"	Mechanicsburg	E	17	6-1	163	Sr.	*16
Charles Kitzmiller	"Kitzie"	Gettysburg	T	18	5-11	178	Sr.	20
Clyde Cleveland	....	Gettysburg	G	15	5-8	167	Sr.	19
Charles Kohlhaas	"Kohly"	Mechanicsburg	C	18	6-2	196	Sr.	23
Daniel Kopenhaver	"Kopy"	Hershey	G	16	5-9	145	Sr.	*13
James Shindle	"Jim"	Waynesboro	T	18	6-0	209	Sr.	18
Ray Shaw	"Ray"	Chambersburg	E	17	6-0	185	Sr.	25
Donald Eyer	"Hands"	Chambersburg	B	19	6-1	180	Sr.	25
Robert Sachs	"Bobby"	Gettysburg	B	17	5-9½	150	Sr.	18
George Cuthbert	....	Mechanicsburg	B	18	5-10	186	Jr.	23
Donald Waters	"Mike"	Chambersburg	B	17	5-10	175	Jr.	15

SECOND TEAM

Glenn Lester	....	Hanover	E	17	5-9	150	Sr.	*16
Robert Etter	"Peep"	Chambersburg	T	17	5-10	165	Sr.	14
Carl Mease	"Moose"	Hershey	G	17	6-1	165	Sr.	*13
Edward Beltzhoover	"Ed"	Carlisle	C	17	5-8	170	Sr.	11
Ronald Ahlers	"Fats"	Carlisle	G	16	5-11	192	Sr.	9
Richard Plasterer	"Dick"	Shippensburg	T	17	6-1	210	Jr.	*8
Robert Snowberger	"Boogie"	Waynesboro	E	18	6-1	185	Sr.	14
Donald Corman	"Donnie"	Mechanicsburg	B	17	5-8½	147	Sr.	12
Donald Rickrode	"Rick"	Chambersburg	B	16	5-10	170	Sr.	11
Leroy Houser	"Roy"	Hershey	B	16	5-11	160	Jr.	11
William Neal	"Bill"	Hanover	B	17	5-10	160	Jr.	11

HONORABLE MENTIONS

Ends—John Sholley, Mechanicsburg, 6; William Turner, Carlisle, 3; Tackles—Glen Stull, Carlisle, 8; Jack Jordan, Mechanicsburg, 6; Earl Hartlaub, Hanover, 3; Harold Baschore, Hershey, 3; Guards—Samuel Musser, Chambersburg, 8; Eugene Davis, Gettysburg, 8; Victor Powley, Mechanicsburg, 5; James Miller, Shippensburg, 5; Center—William Bucher, Gettysburg, 6; Backs—Glenn Karper, Shippensburg, 8; Ronald Jenkins, Carlisle, 8; Donald Hahn, Hanover, 6; Donald Miller, Chambersburg, 6; Samuel Alexander, Carlisle, 3; Kenneth Biesecker, Gettysburg, 3; (*Ties broken by subsequent balloting.)

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REV. EHRHART ACCEPTS CALL

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or 192-W

The Rev. John H. Ehrhart, native of Hampton, Adams county, and former pastor of the Cashtown Reformed church, has resigned as pastor of Christ Evangelical and Reformed church, Roaring Springs, Pa., to accept the pastorate of St. John's Evangelical and Reformed church, Emmitsburg. The change is effective January 4.

The Rev. Mr. Ehrhart graduated from York Springs high school in 1935 and received his A.B. degree from Gettysburg college in 1940. He attended the Reformed seminary at Lancaster, where he received his B.D. degree. He was ordained and installed as pastor of the Reformed churches at Cashtown, McKnightstown and Fairfield at a special service on June 6, 1943, in St. John's church, Fairfield.

During his pastorate in this town, Rev. Ehrhart held various services in the second and sixth Sunday school districts and was president of the Gettysburg Classis Ministry for one year. He was also member of the Adams County child Welfare board.

He resigned his Cashtown pastorate December 15, 1946, to accept the call to Roaring Springs, where he has been active in young people's work, a member of the Kingdom service committee of the Central Pennsylvania synod and member of the board of directors of the Hoffmann orphanage.

Mrs. Ehrhart is the former Miss Evelyn Conti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ottavio Conti, 211 North Washington street. Rev. and Mrs. Ehrhart were married February 11, 1943, and have three sons.

At Lewisburg Rev. Ehrhart will receive Dr. Perry L. Smith, now eastern field secretary of the Evangelical and Reformed church. His address will be 51 North Third street, Lewisburg.

Attendance Rises During Campaign

The Biglerville Evangelical United Brethren church brought to a close its "Strengthen the Sunday School Campaign" Sunday. The campaign was held over a six-week period extending from October 30 to December 4.

Special programs were held each Sunday during the campaign as follows: October 30, Booster Day; November 6, Rally Day; November 13, Talent Day; November 20, Family Day; November 27, Missionary Day; December 4, Decision Day.

At the last service there were three decisions for Christ. At the beginning of the campaign the Sunday School membership was 129; the membership is now 152. Average attendance last year over this six-week period was 74, while this year over the same period, the average attendance was 130. This was a 75 per cent increase in attendance during the campaign.

Oldest Resident Of Wenksville Is 93

Wenksville's eldest resident has reason for celebrating today. He is "Freddie" Showers and this day marks his 93rd birthday.

Mr. Showers has done a lot of living and still is spry. He is enjoying good health and it still very active. Attending church and other community gatherings is no hardship for him and he seldom misses church services or any community activity.

Many years of living have not lessened Mr. Showers' prowess as a hunter. At 93 he hunted small game this fall and the only obstacle to hunting for bigger game is his friends' insistence that the woods is no place for a man his age. Mr. Showers insists that, come Saturday and open season on doe, he could be out there with the best of them.

This fall Mr. Showers defied old age to pick apples and husk corn. As a little boy, Freddie Showers climbed a tree to watch the troops of the Civil war go marching past. Today he is a great great-grandfather.

Chemical Society Will Meet Dec. 8

The December meeting of the Southeastern Pennsylvania section of the American Chemical Society, of which C. A. Scott, Gettysburg, is a member of the executive committee, will be held December 8 at the Harrisburger hotel.

The regular meeting will be held at 8 o'clock following a dinner at 6:30 p.m. Principal speaker will be Dr. Edgar C. Bratton, director of organic research, Dow Chemical company, Midland, Mich.

Mrs. W. H. Stout, Hanover street, will entertain the Acorn club at her home next Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Johnson, East Broadway, entertained the following guests at Graeffenburg Inn, Sunday. C. M. and Mrs. Reuben Piedrahita of the Colombian embassy, Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Q. W. Hershey, York Springs.

Jean Harner, a student nurse at Bryn Mawr Hospital, spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harner, Chambersburg street.

Rev. Raymond R. Wieder, East Middle street, is spending Wednesday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wieder, 63 West Lincoln avenue.

State Police Say

Impatience is too often the big factor contributing to careless and unsafe operation of an automobile. Though in many cases largely responsible, it is rarely brought to light when an accident is investigated. Let common sense and good driving habits be your guide when driving.

Weddings

Sponseller—Coop.

A quiet wedding was solemnized last Thursday at 10:30 a.m. in St. Joseph's Catholic church, Emmitsburg, when Miss Mildred Cool, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cool, near Emmitsburg, became the bride of Warren Sponseller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sponseller, Gettysburg R. 5. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Francis Stauble, pastor of the bride. The bride wore a winter white dress with aqua hat, white gloves and black shoes and a corsage of pink rosebuds. She chose for her maid of honor her cousin, Miss Daris Muench, who wore a green street length dress, winter white hat, white gloves and black shoes, and a corsage of pink camellias. The best man was Bernard Cool, brother of the bride. A dinner for the wedding party was served at the home of the bride's parents. A three-tier wedding cake formed the centerpiece of the table. The groom is employed at the Cannon Shoe company, New Oxford. The couple will reside for the present at the home of the groom's parents.

Approximately 62 persons attended the Phi Lambda Sigma honorary economic and political science society initiation and banquet held at the Hotel Gettysburg, Monday evening. Thirty-nine were initiated into the society at the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity. Rev. Frank Reynolds, Littlestown, was the guest speaker. Harry Schegelmilch, president of the society, was toastmaster.

Charles Kranias, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kranias, North Washington street.

The Tuesday evening bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. Ralph Butt, Seminary avenue, Tuesday evening, January 3, 1950.

Mrs. Ernest Kranias and daughter, Mary Lou, and Miss Gloria Kargas, North Washington street, spent Thursday in Harrisburg.

Prof. Raymond W. Young, York street, recently spent several days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young, Sr., of North Bergen, N. J.

James Smith, Philadelphia, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, South Stratton street.

Miss Roxie Stambaugh, a student nurse at the University of Maryland Nursing school, Baltimore, is spending a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Marion Wood, of Binghamton, N. Y., and Joann Lee Rice, of Williamstown, Mass., were flower girls. Dr. William Wallop, of Washington and Philadelphia, was best man.

The bride's father gave her in marriage, and her cousin, Miss Louise Georgia Laverie, of Middlebury College, was maid of honor. Dr. Wood's nieces, Alice Jane Wood, of Binghamton, N. Y., and Joann Lee Rice, of Williamstown, Mass., were flower girls. Dr. William Wallop, of Washington and Philadelphia, was best man.

Mrs. Wood is a granddaughter of Robert H. Laverie, president of the Mariner Harbor National bank, Staten Island. Dr. Wood, alumnus of Yale university, is interning at the hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. He is a member of Alpha Omega Alpha and the P. and S. Club.

Rev. Mr. Wood, the bridegroom's father, was formerly head coach of football at Gettysburg college.

The statement showed that the party organization had a balance of \$376.42 at the end of the previous year, and has a balance at the present time of \$123.46.

Largest contributions received were from candidates, and were listed as follows: George P. Taylor, elected associate judge, \$250; Carl S. Menchey, elected county treasurer, \$600; Dorsey Shultz, elected sheriff, \$600, and Mrs. Emma Sheffer, re-elected clerk of the courts, \$350.

The expenditures included payments to committeemen and party workers, transportation on election day, and for printing and advertising.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Oyler, 214 Chambersburg street, will quietly observe their 65th wedding anniversary at their home on Wednesday.

They were married in Arendtsville on December 7, 1884, by the Rev. Mr. Sandgreen.

The couple has five children, Mrs. Ross R. Myers, at home; Paul, Gettysburg; Mrs. Robert E. Lee, at home; Mrs. J. Huston Snyder, Chevy Chase, Md., and Mrs. William C. Bashore, Bethesda, Md. They also have nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Mr. Oyler observed his 87th birthday anniversary on November 13 and Mrs. Oyler observed her 85th anniversary on August 3. Both enjoy fairly good health.

**Local Man's Father
Will Be Honored**

J. G. Allen, superintendent of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphans' school at Scotland, and Clyde H. Pensinger, instructor in printing at the school, will be awarded life memberships in the American Vocational Association at the association's annual convention in Atlantic City next week.

In announcing the awards, the association said they will be presented in recognition of the long service of Allen and Pensinger on behalf of the Pennsylvania Vocational News. Allen had been editor and Pensinger associate editor of the PVA publication for 18 years prior to their recent resignations.

Mr. Pensinger is the father of Paul G. Pensinger, West Middle street.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Admissions: Theodore T. Ledwell, Winchester, Va.; Charles L. Crist, York Springs, and Homer Buoh, 132 East Water street.

Discharges: Mrs. Robert Shradler and infant son, of New Oxford; Mrs. Francis Henner and infant daughter, of Thurmont; Mrs. Lloyd Kiver and infant daughter, of Taneytown; Mrs. John Berger and infant son, of 256 Baltimore street; Mrs. Glenn Tuckey and infant son, of Aspers R. 1; Mrs. Charles Gartley, Keymar, Md., and Mrs. Lydia Kaitko, 63 West Lincoln avenue.

MEETING WEDNESDAY
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RALLY THURSDAY

A rally of the Fifth District Sunday School Association will be held at the York Springs Methodist church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. Clyde Meadows will be the speaker. The rally is open to the public.

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Out Of The Past**From the Files of the
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The Gettysburg Times****FIFTY YEARS AGO**

Started Work Tuesday Morning: The shirt factory on Washington street, which will be operated by Messrs. Ziegler and Conklin, is now in running order. Twelve young women were employed Tuesday morning and will be taught the method of operating the machines.

The hosiery factory building which the Gettysburg Development Company erected for Oscar Reiley, of Mont Alto, has been completed. Mr. Reiley will start work as soon as possible.

New Society Organized: A Camp of Modern Woodmen of America was instituted in this place on Thursday evening by District Deputy Dr. J. M. Walborn, of Carlisle, and Grand Lecturer W. M. Groves, of Shelbyville, Ill. The name of the new camp is "Gettysburg," No. 7263 and was organized with 16 charter members. The following officers were elected and installed for the coming year: Venerable Consul, N. Lieberman; Worthy Adviser, E. E. Slaybaugh; Bunker, Joseph H. Colliflower; Clerk, Donald Stallsmith; Physician, Dr. Henry Stewart; Sentry, Samuel J. Bumbaugh; Watchman, E. Heiney; Escort, Oscar Bushman.

Marriages: Deardorff-Funk.—Nov. 30, at Arendtsville, by Rev. M. M. Neacher, Melvin O. Deardorff, to Mary E. Funk, both of Butler township.

Lightner-Trostle.—Nov. 30, at Arendtsville, by Rev. D. T. Koser, Arthur M. Lightner, of Butler township, to Miss Laura C. Trostle, of Franklin township.

Wagner-Cushion.—Dec. 6, at St. John's Lutheran parsonage in Littlestown, by Rev. L. A. Mann, Michael K. Wagner to Miss Emma J. Cushion, both of Bonneaville.

Wedding Bells: Quite a pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of W. C. Scott, of Fairplay, on Wednesday afternoon, November 29, the contracting parties being J. Luther Hopelhorn, a member of Company M, and Miss S. Jennie Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scott. At 3 o'clock the bride and groom entered the parlor, where they were met by Rev. D. H. Riddle who, assisted by Rev. Charles Rinewald, made them man and wife. After the ceremony the guests, about thirty-five in number, sat down to a bountiful repast.

Local Miscellany: H. J. Brinkerhoff, Jr. gave a phonograph concert Monday evening from the room above his meat market on Baltimore street. A number of excellent selections were enjoyed by a great many people, who were on the streets. The instrument is an Edison Concert Grand and reproduces band and orchestra music loud enough to be heard several squares.

Post 9, G.A.R. at their annual election Monday evening elected the following officers: Commander, Capt. L. Y. Diller; Senior Vice Commander, Simon P. Stover; Junior Vice Commander, I. S. Stoner; Quartermaster, Nicholas G. Wilson; Officer of the Day, S. Henry Büchler; Chaplain, Prof. E. J. Wolf; Surgeon, Wm. Spangler; Ordnance Sergeant, David F. Kitzmiller; Trustee, Hon. Theodore McAllister; Delegates to State Encampment, Dr. E. J. Wolf and W. H. Rupp, with Nicholas G. Wilson and John E. Pitzer as alternates.

Institute Week Is Over: Superintendent Roth has reason to be well pleased with the first institute over which he has presided. The attendance at all the sessions was good. Friday night's entertainment "The Novelty Entertainers" was especially good.

On Tuesday afternoon a joint session of the teachers and directors was held in the Court room . . .

The following were elected as delegates to attend the State Directors' Convention in Harrisburg: C. H. Myers, Tyrone; W. C. Van Scoyoc, Latimore; F. S. Cromer, Cumberland; Calvin Hamilton, Gettysburg. As alternatives, John B. Haverton and A. M. Lochbaum, Franklin; H. A. Smelser, Arendtsville; Z. H. Cashman, New Oxford. President—Prof. Calvin Hamilton.

Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

THE AMERICAN DOLLAR

The most sought after medium of exchange in the world is the American dollar. Of course there are reasons for this that are obvious. It is a successful medium and has a national character background. Work, enterprise, inventive genius, freedom of opportunity, and a will to achieve, have made the American dollar a symbol of hope all over the world.

There are five significant words on this dollar, as well as on most of its lesser portions, and these are: "Liberty" and "In God We Trust." These five words are what have made America great, and the envy of all other nations. Any nation can be great and powerful that will give Liberty to its people and trust in God. No nation can long endure otherwise, no matter how rich its resources may be.

I go into a book store and see thousands of books, expressing the thoughts of endless numbers of human beings—books on every topic conceivable—freely written, and for sale to whom each may most concern, and those words run through my mind—Liberty, in God we trust. I look out from my office, high above the street, the street teeming with human beings, and I see great structures in the most modern fashion, climbing high into space, and again I have those words rushing through my mind—Liberty, in God we trust.

At night time I stand and look out upon the lights of the great city in which I live, and the sight is almost unbelievable. Millions of lights and millions of people moving about unmolested and in their homes, and the machinery of the "unbelievable city" running as smoothly as if it were a mere cart drawn by child—so simple, yet so miraculously efficient. Underground tubes enclosing billions of miles of wire, water pipes, and other essentials to the life of a city.

The American dollar—yes, but behind each dollar have been ingenious minds, working hands, muscle and might! Things of enterprise and pride, because of Liberty, and in God we trust. The American dollar home at work, and doing a job for freedom abroad, as well.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Calmness To Forget."

General services administration, \$31,000,000 . . . This includes building laboratories for other agencies.

National advisory committee on aviation, \$70,000,000 . . . This committee is made up of civilians and military men. Almost all of this work is being done in government laboratories.

Tennessee Valley authority, \$24,000,000 . . . This includes development of fertilizer.

Commerce department, \$19,000,000 . . . This includes the National Bureau of Standards and the Weather Bureau, better air navigation systems.

National defense, \$750,000,000 . . . This includes research on weapons by Army, Navy, Airforce.

Interior department, \$46,000,000 . . . This includes geological surveys in search for minerals.

All other (including Maritime commission, State department reconstruction finance corporation, Veterans administration), \$23,000,000 . . . This ranges from development of cultural relations with other countries, particularly Latin America, to synthetic rubber and the making of artificial limbs for veterans.

About \$425,000,000 of the money is being spent in non-government laboratories, going to universities and industry for various purposes. Federal research in colleges and universities is costing about \$100,000,000.

I bore the laughter and the sneer From many a friend for many a year.
"Who ties it for you?" they would ask.As if it were a tricky task.
"I do," I'd say and then remark,
"And I can do it in the dark."I was the bow tie pioneer,
Subject to every jibe and jeer—
Cutting or dull, at the command
Of those who wore the four-in-hand.
But time has changed all that—and how!

The governor's wearing bow ties now!

THE ALMANACDec. 7—Sun rises 7:08; sets 4:35.
Moon rises 6:07 p. m.; sets 4:35.

Moon 14 p. m.

MOON PHASES

December 5—Full moon.

December 12—Last quarter.

December 19—New moon.

December 27—First quarter.

Vice President—A. M. Lochbaum.

The President appointed as Executive Committee, Supt. Roth, Clayton Myers, A. M. Lochbaum, Geo. Klingel, D. A. Skelly.

Personal Mention: Hon. S. McC. Swope on Monday evening tendered a reception at his home on Baltimore street, in honor of Hon. T. S. Blocher, who will shortly retire from the Associate Judgeship after five years' service on the bench. All the members of the Bar were present and report a very enjoyable time.

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Miss Nora Stover, of Littlestown, is visiting Mrs. Sarah Gilbert, Carlisle street.

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BILLIONS TO BE EXPENDED ON RESEARCH

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In a talk to a group of scientists, John R. Steelman, assistant to President Truman, told some of the story. He said:

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National advisory committee on aviation, \$70,000,000 . . . This committee is made up of civilians and military men. Almost all of this work is being done in government laboratories.

Tennessee Valley authority, \$24,000,000 . . . This includes development of fertilizer.

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Commerce department, \$19,000,000 . . . This includes the National Bureau of Standards and the Weather Bureau, better air navigation systems.

National defense, \$750,000,000 . . . This includes research on weapons by Army, Navy, Airforce.

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They'd say, "Afraid of gravy spots, He sticks to bows with polka dots."

I bore the laughter and the sneer From many a friend for many a year.
"Who ties it for you?" they would ask.As if it were a tricky task.
"I do," I'd say and then remark,
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Subject to every jibe and jeer—
Cutting or dull, at the command
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But time has changed all that—and how!

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Fifteen minutes later, a woman's voice inquired if this was the operator who had cut her nine-year-old son off the line. The operator replied it was and the woman said "just a minute, please."

"My mother wants me to apologize to you for what I said," declared the small boy. The operator accepted his apology and connected him with the number he had been trying to get.

Final scene a half hour later—the small boy and the operator on the phone again. The small boy speaks: "My mother just went out of the house. I still think you're dumb."

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"Bless This House." Following a

carol sung by the assemblage, Mrs.

Buehler will be leader and Miss

Caroline Rupp and Miss Winona

Woodward light bearers for the

lighting of the Christmas candles.

The Senior Y-Teen club, with Miss

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Ten-day notices were sent today by Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder to Burnett LeRoy Winfrey, Gardiners R. 2, charging him with reckless driving and driving without an operator's license, as the result of an accident on November 26.

Following the banquet a social hour was held in the Musselman Memorial gymnasium which included get-acquainted games. Meetings of the local boards and of the joint board followed when the boards were re-organized and new directors installed.

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Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

THE AMERICAN DOLLAR

The most sought after medium of exchange in the world is the American dollar. Of course there are reasons for this that are obvious. It is a successful medium and has a national character background. Work, enterprise, inventive genius, freedom of opportunity, and a will to achieve, have made the American dollar a symbol of hope all over the world.

There are five significant words on this dollar, as well as on most of its lesser portions, and these are: "Liberty" and "In God We Trust." These five words are what have made America great, and the envy of all other nations. Any nation can be great and powerful that will give Liberty to its people and trust in God. No nation can long endure otherwise, no matter how rich its resources may be.

I go into a book store and see thousands of books, expressing the thoughts of endless numbers of human beings—books on every topic conceivable—freely written, and for sale to whom each may most concern, and those words run through my mind—Liberty, in God we trust. I look out from my office, high above the street, the street teeming with human beings, and I see great structures in the most modern fashion, climbing high into space, and again I have those words rushing through my mind—Liberty, in God we trust.

At night time I stand and look out upon the lights of the great city in which I live, and the sight is almost unbelievable. Millions of lights and millions of people moving about unmolested and in their homes, and the machinery of the "unbelievable city" running as smoothly as if it were a mere cart drawn by a child—so simple, yet so miraculously efficient. Underground tubes enclosing billions of miles of wire, water pipes, and other essentials to the life of a city.

The American dollar—yes, but behind each dollar have been ingenious minds, working hands, muscle and might! Things of enterprise and pride, because of Liberty, and in God we trust. The American dollar home at work, and doing a job for freedom abroad, as well.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Calmness To Forget."

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

BOW TIE PIONEER

I was the lonely man at whom Went titters round the living room. "A bow-tie chap—a little mad!"

When gorgeous necklace could be had

They'd say, "Afraid of gravy spots, He sticks to bows with polka dots."

I bore the laughter and the sneer From many a friend for many a year.

"Who ties it for you?" they would ask, As if it were a tricky task.

"I do," I'd say and then remark, "And I can do it in the dark."

I was the bow tie pioneer, Subject to every jibe and jeer— Cutting or dull, at the command Of those who wore the four-in-hand. But time has changed all that—and how!

The governor's wearing bow ties now!

THE ALMANAC

Dec 7—Sun rises 7:08; sets 4:35. Moon rises 6:07 p.m.
Dec 8—Sun rises 7:14 a.m.; sets 4:35. Moon rises 6:14 p.m.
MOON PHASES
December 5—Full moon.
December 12—Last quarter.
December 19—New moon.
December 27—First quarter.

Vice President—A. M. Lochbaum. The President appointed as Executive Committee, Supt. Roth, Clayton Myers, A. M. Lochbaum, Geo. Klingel, D. A. Skelly.

Personal Mention: Hon. S. McCaffrey, Jr., gave a phonograph concert Monday evening from the room above his meat market on Baltimore street. A number of excellent selections were enjoyed by a great many people, who were on the streets. The instrument is an Edison Concert Grand and reproduces band and orchestra music loud enough to be heard several squares.

Post 9, G.A.R., at their annual election Monday evening elected the following officers: Commander, Capt. L. Y. Diller; Senior Vice a reception at his home on Baltimore street, in honor of Hon. T. S. Junior Vice Commander, I. S. Stone; Supt. Roth, Clayton Myers, A. M. Lochbaum, Geo. Klingel, D. A. Skelly.

Mr. and Mrs. David Shilt and son, Thomas, Walnut street, visited Mrs. Shilt's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Remondiar, York, on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Florence, East King street, entertained the following at dinner on Sunday in honor of Sgt. and Mrs. John Hanshaw, who were married on November 26 in St. James Reformed church, along the Hanney road. Sgt. and Mrs. Hanshaw: Mrs. Edith Bunty and son, Robert, Taneytown, mother and brother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Mumford, Hanney; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bunty, daughter, Cynthia, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ohler and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Heiser, of town.

Miss Emily Badders, a student nurse at the Church Home and Hospital, Baltimore, spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Badders, Lumber street.

Miss Levon Brechner, York, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parr Brechner, Littlestown R. 2.

A girls' sextet from the Tressier orphans' home, Loyalville, who sang at St. John's Lutheran church on Sunday morning were dinner guests of members of the congregation.

Miss Margaret Stallsmith and Miss Stock, of New Oxford, spent the week among Gettysburg friends.

Rev. Julius F. Seebach is the guest President—Prof. Calvin Hamilton, of Dr. and Mrs. John A. Hunes.

BILLIONS TO BE EXPENDED ON RESEARCH

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Dec. 6 (P)—To find various ways of making life long and better and short and awful, the government is spending almost \$1½ billion this year on scientific research.

The work ranges all the way from work on cancer and heart and synthetic rubber to atomic energy for better bombs and weapons for the Army, Navy and Air Force.

The military forces are getting more than half the money being spent on research.

In a talk to a group of scientists, John R. Steelman, assistant to President Truman, told some of the story. He said:

"The importance of science to our national life has been dramatized for all Americans by the atom bomb and the tremendous potentialities of atomic power, but on a thousand less publicized fronts the researcher and the technicians are working together in the search for truth."

Scientific Research

The government's budget for scientific research this year totals \$1,380,000,000. It breaks down this way, with a brief explanation for each field:

Atomic energy \$320,000,000... This includes benefits to medicine and other fields of life, besides the bomb.

Federal security administration, \$42,000,000... This goes into research for public health, including cancer, heart disease, infantile paralysis.

General services administration, \$31,000,000... This includes building laboratories for other agencies.

National advisory committee on aviation, \$70,000,000... This committee is made up of civilians and military men. Almost all of this work is being done in government laboratories.

Tennessee Valley authority, \$24,000,000... This includes development of fertilizer.

National Defense

Agriculture department, \$55,000,000... This goes into government experiment stations all over the country, livestock, crops.

Commerce department, \$19,000,000... This includes the National Bureau of Standards and the Weather Bureau, better air navigation systems.

National defense, \$750,000,000... This includes research on weapons by Army, Navy, Airforce.

Interior department, \$46,000,000... This includes geological surveys in search for minerals.

All other (including Maritime commission, State department reconstruction finance corporation, Veterans administration), \$23,000,000... This ranges from development of cultural relations with other countries particularly Latin America, to synthetic rubber and the making of artificial limbs for veterans.

About \$425,000,000 of the money is being spent in non-government laboratories, going to universities and industry for various purposes. Federal research in colleges and universities is costing about \$100,000,000.

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Household Goods

Bed; springs; mattress; dresser; rocker; wash stand; clothes tree; sink stand; ice box; dishes; eight-day clock; 2 dining room chairs; iron kettle and other articles not mentioned.

Terms, cash.

Auctioneer: Paul Miller.

Clerk: Jacobs.

CHARLES E. WEAVER,

East Berlin, Pa., Rd. #1.

Small Boy Gets Last Word In On Telephone Dispute

Philadelphia, Dec. 6 (P)—The small boy and the telephone operator had a slight misunderstanding. She couldn't catch the number he wanted and asked him to repeat it several times. Finally, he exploded: "You operators are so dumb."

The operator cut him off.

Fifteen minutes later, a woman's voice inquired if this was the operator who had cut her nine-year-old son off the line. The operator replied it was and the woman said "just a minute, please."

"My mother wants me to apologize to you for what I said," declared the small boy. The operator accepted his apology and connected him with the number he had been trying to get.

Final scene a half hour later—the small boy and the operator on the phone again. The small boy speaks: "My mother just went out of the house. I still think you're dumb."

William Lippy, near town; Catherine Farquharson and Phyllis Shenberger were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yingling, Lumber street; and Gertrude Small and Lucille Anderson were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stites, North Queen street. Prof. Luther D. Grossman, superintendent of the orphanage who was guest speaker at St. John's, was a dinner guest of Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth D. James. The Rev. and Mrs. David S. Kammerer were also dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. James on Sunday noon. The Rev. Mr. James was a former pupil of Prof. Grossman at Susquehanna University.

"Little Known Characters of the Old Testament" was the topic for discussion at St. Paul's Christian Endeavor society on Sunday evening with Miss Darla Lemmon as the leader. Scripture was read by Miss Dawn Pettyjohn. It was decided to hold a Christmas party for the members and their friends in the social hall of the church on Wednesday, December 14. The following committee will arrange for this event: Refreshments: Jane Miller, Virginia Dickinson, Patricia Long, Darla Lemmon, Dolores Rae Reinold, Henrietta Barnhart and Alma Reaver; and decorations: Albert Stock, Gene Miller, Robert DeGroff, Francis Miller, Jean Bish, Dolores Koontz and Barbara Waltman. The leader chosen for next Sunday evening was Miss Ruth Staub. The meeting closed with the

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THURSDAY, DEC. 8, 1949

5:30 P. M.

The undersigned will sell at public sale in Aspers, Adams County, the following

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consisting of living room suite, in good condition; one library table; one radio; three 9 x 12 rugs; bedroom suite; pots; pans; dishes of all kinds; three cords of apple wood, ready for stove; lots of other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale will commence at 5:30 p.m. when terms will be made known by

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PUBLIC SALE

Saturday, December 10, 1949,

At 1:00 P. M.

Having rented my farm I will offer at public sale at my farm located three miles northwest of East Berlin close to Germany store in Reading township formerly known as the Dora Coukin farm, livestock machinery and household goods.

Livestock

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And he and Henry went hand in hand out of the tent.

Chapter 2 HENRY AND MR. DILLY

JOIN FORCES

Henry led Mr. Dilly to a very queer shed of a house at the edge of the town. It looked so rickety you would have thought even a spring breeze would send it tumbling to the ground. As they turned in at the gate a woman with fly-away hair opened the door and swept the porch vigorously.

"Is that your mother?" asked Mr. Dilly.

"Oh, no," said Henry. "I don't have a mother. That is Mrs. Snell. She takes care of me, I guess."

Just then Mrs. Snell caught sight of Henry.

"You! Where have you been? There's work to be done, you know. Get in here and scrub the kitchen and fill the wood box and peel the potatoes." Her voice was dreadfully loud and cross.

Henry said, "I went to a Christmas magic show and this is—"

"Christmas!" cried Mrs. Snell. "Just forget about Christmas. There won't be any Christmas in this house I can tell you—not for boys like you."

"Pardon me," said Mr. Dilly politely. "I am Mr. Dilly the Magician. Henry is bringing me to see his talking duck."

Mrs. Snell's mouth dropped open and she stared at Mr. Dilly unbelievably for a long moment. Then her voice slowed back into her mouth and she cried, "Surely a man as old as you has not been taken in by this foolish story of a talking duck!"

Mr. Dilly looked at Henry as if to say "Have you been fooling me?"

"It's not a story," blurted Henry. "It's true. Serena is in the back yard and she talks to me all the time."

"Mrs. Snell burst into laughter. "Not only does the boy do no work, he is silly in the head besides. Why should I have so much trouble?"

"If I could see the duck, perhaps—" suggested Mr. Dilly.

"Yes, come," said Henry quickly. "I'll keep her in a box out back."

But as he started to lead Mr. Dilly around the house Mrs. Snell whooped, "You won't find your duck out back now, young man!"

Henry stopped and looked at Mrs. Snell.

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One December day he came to a certain town and put on a special Christmas Magic show. Quite a lot of people came to his tent to see him. He did his very best tricks.

First he took a piece of rope that looked like any clothesline. He waved his wand and threw one end of the rope in the air. Strangely, the rope stood stiff, like a stick, one end on the floor and the other end seeming to go right through the top of the tent.

Then Mr. Dilly did his smoke trick. He mixed some powders and liquids and made a big ball of smoke, bigger than himself. He bounded it around the platform.

Next he did his scarf trick. It looked like a regular scarf but when Mr. Dilly unrolled it from his neck it got longer and longer and longer and turned from red to yellow to green to purple.

Finally he did his Christmas tree trick. He took a little fir tree and waved his wand and said magic words. Suddenly the little tree was covered with red and blue balls and silver stars and strips of tinsel and flakes of snow.

The audience thought these tricks fine. But presently they began calling, "Get us a rabbit out of your hat!"

Mr. Dilly took off his hat and said some magic words. But no rabbit came out. He tried it again. Still no rabbit.

The audience laughed at him and went away saying he was a fake magician who couldn't even get a rabbit out of his hat. Mr. Dilly sat down feeling very sad because that was the way his shows always ended.

Presently a little boy crept up behind him. He had been sitting in the last row in the tent and stayed behind when all the others left.

"Did you stay behind to laugh at me?" asked Mr. Dilly wearily.

"Oh, no," said the boy. "I am Henry I have a talking duck."

"Talking duck?" said Mr. Dilly. "How do you do that?"

"I don't do it," said Henry. "It's whooped. You won't find your duck out back now, young man!"

Henry stopped and looked at Mrs. Snell.

Snell. His face was suddenly quite pale. "Where is she, then?" he asked.

"I've tied her up in the kitchen," said Mrs. Snell. "I'm going to cook dinner for dinner."

Henry gasped. Tears of anger streamed down his cheeks. "I'll never work for you again!" he said.

"Leave me, then!" shouted Mrs. Snell. "But you won't get the duck!" And suddenly she took up her broom and began hitting poor Henry. She swept him off the porch and down the walk and gave him a final swat on his head as she shoved him through the gate.

For a while the boy was blinded with dust and anger and tears. It was quite a few minutes before he realized that he was alone in the road, that Mr. Dilly had left him.

"Now what am I to do?" thought the wretched boy, robbed of his pet, left all alone by his new friend, and thrown out of the only home he had. It seemed to him that the world was a most cruel and friendless place.

It grew dark and as he stumbled along he did not see the man at the turn of the road until he had almost walked into his arms.

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Henry said, "I went to a Christ-mas magic show and this is—"

"Christmas!" cried Mrs. Snell. "Just forget about Christmas. There won't be any Christmas in this house. I can tell you—not for boys like you."

"Pardon me," said Mr. Dilly politely. "I am Mr. Dilly the Magician. Henry is bringing me to see his talking duck."

Mrs. Snell's mouth dropped open and she stared at Mr. Dilly unbelievably for a long moment. Then her voice flowed back into her mouth and she cried, "Surely a man as old as you has not been taken in by this foolish story of a talking duck!"

Mr. Dilly looked at Henry as if to say "Have you been fooling me?"

"It's not a story," blurted Henry. "It's true. Serena is in the back yard and she talks to me all the time."

"Mrs. Snell burst into laughter. "Not only does the boy do no work, he's silly in the head besides. Why should I have so much trouble?"

"If I could see the duck, perhaps—" suggested Mr. Dilly.

"Yes, come," said Henry quickly. "I'll meet you in a box out back."

But as he started to lead Mr. Dilly around the house Mrs. Snell

said, "Wait a minute, Mrs. Charles F. Kuhn and Mrs. Isaac Mickley

RITTER HEADS

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was elected vice president. Henry E. Waitman continues as secretary and Clayton Harget as treasurer.

Directors Tour Building

Wilbur Mackley, a member of the Littlestown board, served as temporary chairman of the meeting. This meeting was attended by the eight members of the board which had been elected by their district boards earlier in the evening, as well as by a number of the other board members and Supervising Principal Paul E. King.

Ritter, upon assuming his chair as president, thanked the board members for their confidence and asked for their cooperation in the important work ahead. The meeting then adjourned until Tuesday, January 10, 1950. Following adjournment, Wilbur Mackley took the new directors on a tour of the building.

Earlier in the evening, all of the directors met in the library with the retiring president, H. Allen Walker, presiding. Walker gave an address of welcome to the new directors. He also thanked the directors for their cooperation during his term of office and expressed his best wishes for the continued success of the jointure. He then appointed Luther W. Ritter as temporary chairman, who administered the oath of office to the newly elected directors as well as the re-elected directors.

Separate Boards Meet

The following directors were given the oath of office: Mt. Joy township: Arthur Buehler and John Schwartz; Union township: Stanley R. Sell and Harvey C. Wildasin; Germany township: Elmer Furlow and Preston Crabb; and Littlestown borough: Henry E. Waltman. H. S. Roberts was unable to be present to be sworn in.

Supervising Principal King spoke briefly to all the directors on "The School System and Its Operation as a Jointure. Following King's speech, the meeting adjourned and the directors retired to their individual board meetings to elect their officers.

Littlestown board effected the following organization: President, Carl Baumgardner; vice president, Henry E. Waltman; members to the executive board of the jointure, Wilbur Mackley and Luther W. Ritter. Receipts for the evening were: From the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, \$4,984.87 and Reid Eppleman, tax collector, \$1,477.13; total \$6,462. Bills paid: Littlestown Joint School Board, \$6,395.84; Lloyd J. Crouse, treasurer, \$37.50; Luther W. Ritter, secretary, \$50; Reid C. Eppleman, tax collector, as commission, \$37.03. This meeting was attended by Wilbur Mackley, L. W. Ritter, Henry E. Waltman, night at 8 o'clock in St. Paul's Lu-

Lloyd E. Crouse and Carl Baumgardner.

Results Of Voting

The re-organization of the Germany township board was as follows: President, Clayton Harget; vice president, Elmer Furlow; members to the executive board of the jointure, Clayton Harget and Luther Harget.

Long Beach, Calif., Dec. 6 (AP)—A Beechcraft Bonanza airplane crashed and burned Monday at Long Beach municipal airport, killing all five persons aboard.

Witnesses said the plane's motors started to "cough and spit" soon after takeoff and the plane pancaked onto the field and burst into flames.

The plane was owned by Bob Sanders, 33. A CAA spokesman said it was believed Sanders was at the controls. The field control tower re-

COUNCIL NAMES

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he said. Councilman L. D. Sheale then proposed March's name. March left the council chambers while a secret ballot was cast, which resulted in five votes for March and two for Osgood. On motion of Councilman Weiser, it was made unanimous. March was then sworn in by Burgess C. A. Heiges.

The election replaces a Republican with a Democrat, and also leaves the first precinct of the First ward without representation by a resident of the precinct. Mr. Weiser and Mr. March both reside in the second precinct, as does Mahlon P. Hartzel Sr., the new councilman from this ward, who will assume office in January.

Name New Auditor

March, who has served eight years on the council, will serve two more until the next municipal election in 1951.

Council received the resignation

of Carl S. Menchy as borough auditor, and appointed in his place Percy S. Miller, an employee for the past 30 years of the Gettysburg and Reaser furniture companies. His was the only application received.

Other officers elected were: first vice president, Penny Nester; second vice president, Doris Ridinger; secretary, Pearl M. Sell, assistant Ethel Arentz; treasurer, Ruth Sternier; assistant, Betty Petrey; birthday secretaries, Shirley Dutcher and Audrey Ellen Brumbach; thank offering secretaries, Phyllis Markle and Jean Markle.

This was the Christmas meeting and the theme and the program centered on Christmas. The topic was "Come and Worship." Those who took part in the program were: Pearl M. Sell, Shirley Dutcher, Shirley Markle, Ruth Sternier, Andrew E. Hawley and Richard Hartland; Marvin Breighner and George Stoner; Samuel Conover and William H. Dern; Ralph Staley and Donald Arbogast; Mervin LeGore and Norman Hahn; Edward F. Hawk and Charles Riffle; Harry Cratin and Ray Snyder; Herbert C. Bankert and Walter F. Crouse; Irvin Keefer and Robert Thomas; Melvin A. Miller and Albert Zercher; Samuel H. Higginbotham and Richard B. Hartland; George C. DeHoff and Stanley Weikert; George M. Conover and Melvin Shanesbrook; Frank Stoner and Paul Stoner; and Theron W. Spangler.

Business was in charge of the retiring president, Ruth Sternier. The secretary's report was given by Shirley Warner, assistant secretary, and Pearl Sell gave the treasurer's report. The next meeting will be held at the parsonage on East King street, Littlestown, on a date in January to be announced later when Audrey Ellen Brumbach will be the leader. Penny Nester donated a guess package which was received by Shirley Warner. An exchange of Christmas gifts followed. Games were enjoyed in charge of Miss Brumbach and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Chorus To Rehearse

There will be a special rehearsal of the Littlestown Men's chorus to L. W. Ritter, night at 8 o'clock in St. Paul's Lu-

ported others aboard as Hal Evans, John Putnam and Cliff Boyden. The fifth victim was unidentified. All were believed to reside in the Long Beach-Los Angeles area.

Three members of the Syracuse University football team won their fourth football letters in 1949.

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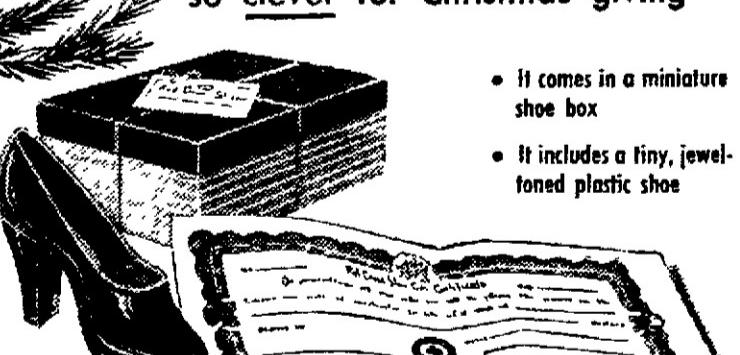
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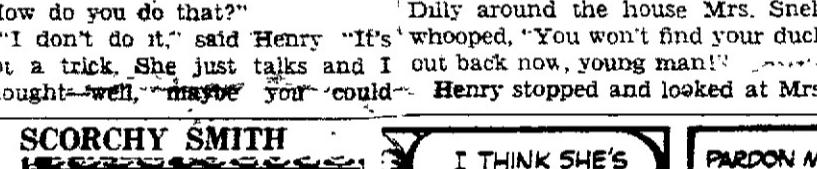
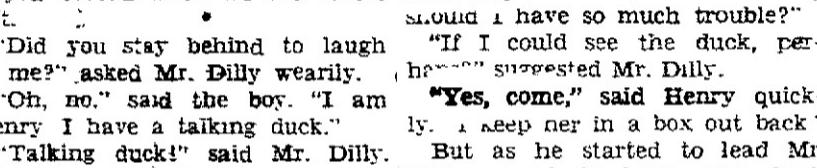
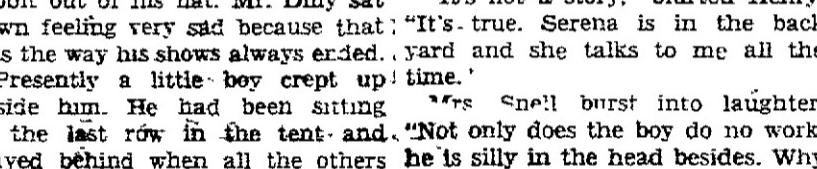
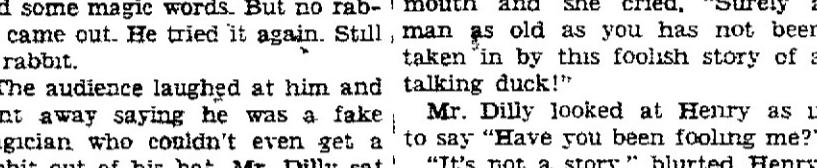
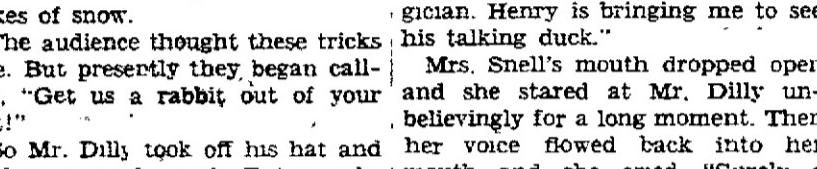
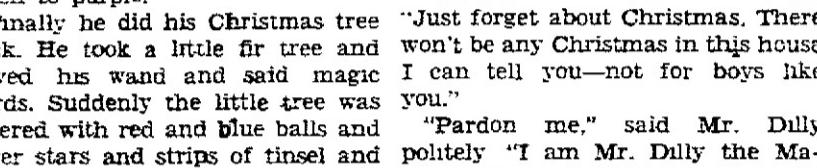
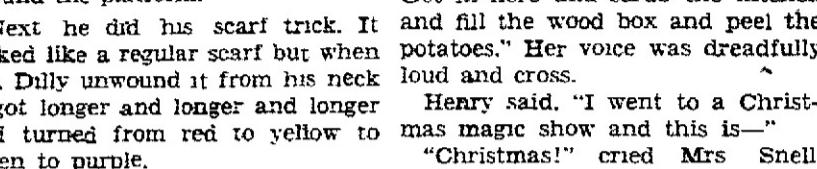
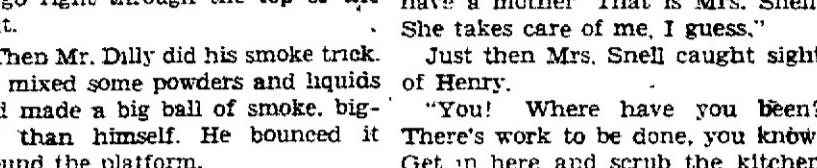
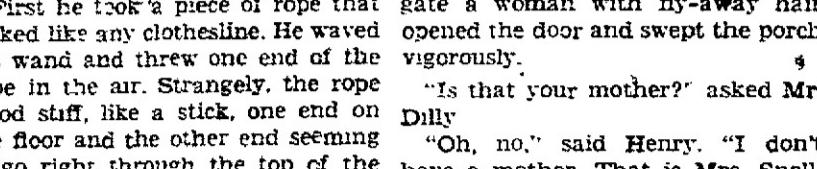
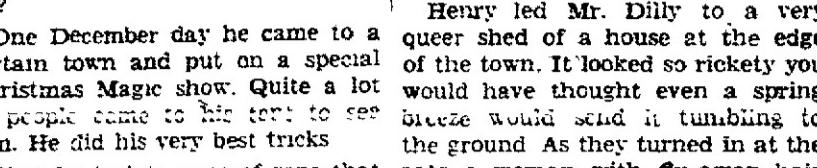
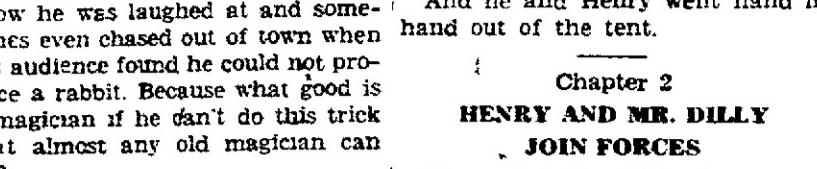
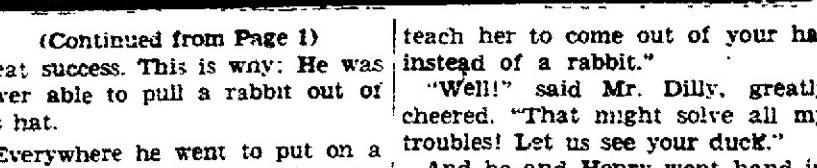
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executive committee and the planning board.

The board voted to continue the second Monday of each month as the regular meeting time for the executive committee or joint board.

The directors decided to furnish bus transportation to the Farm Show in Harrisburg for one day to vocational agriculture and home economic students at the high school here. The same plan was followed last year when three buses were used at a cost of about \$150.

Receive Financial Reports

Authorization was given for use of the high school building for evening classes for farmers. The courses will last 15 weeks and run three hours a week. With a high state reimbursement rate from the state, the net cost to the school district was estimated at about \$22.

Dr. Keefauver suggested to board supply committee members that the holidays offer a good opportunity to apply light coats of oil to some of the floors in school buildings.

The monthly financial report from the Gettysburg National Bank, joint school district treasurer, showed \$4,485 received in state appropriation in the last month and \$23,818 in tuition. Expenses totaled \$19,274 with instructional costs the largest item at \$16,39. The joint district balance as of November 30 was \$36,822.

The high school cafeteria report showed receipts of \$1,023 including last month's balance and expenditures of \$721.34.

All Directors Present

The activities fund report for the month showed a balance November 1 of \$7,062 and a November 30 balance of \$6,968.

The monthly report for the Gettysburg High School Athletic assoc-

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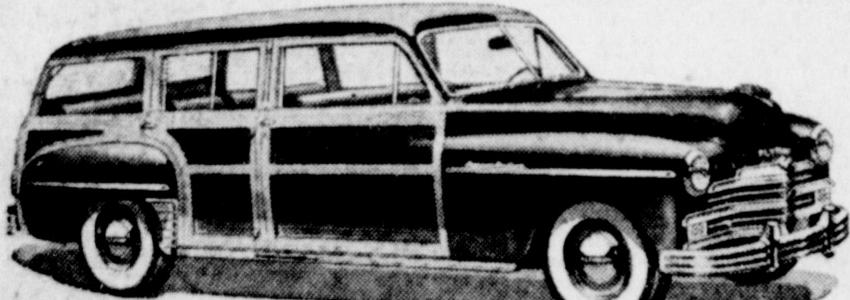
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Woman Claims She Lost Voice In Crash

Emmitsburg — Mrs. Howard Gillean has returned to Baltimore after visiting at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Stinson. Mrs. Gillean's daughter, Ann Eden, also returned home, after being the guest of her great aunts, the Misses Rhoda and Ruth Gillean, West Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Edward Graff and Gail Brown were injured in an auto accident August 21, 1948, in Hamiltonian township, when their car and the car of the Whites suffered. Among the injuries suffered was the loss of her voice by Mrs. Thompson, according to the papers filed by the local law firm of Bullett and Bullett. The group of Philadelphians are asking a total of \$130,000 in damages.

Miss Doris Pepple, Mrs. Thomas Frailey, Mrs. Clarence G. Frailey, and Miss Helen Frailey spent Monday in York.

Mrs. Frank Campbell, of Baltimore, visited Saturday and Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Stinson.

The Rev. and Mrs. Uerele Schumacher, of Aurora, W. Va., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Schumacher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keilholz, Emmitsburg R. D. Mrs. Schumacher was the former Miss Catherine Keilholz.

In Monday's paper it was unintentionally stated that Mary Lou Miller, a patient at Johns Hopkins' hospital, visited with her parents over the week-end. Mary Lou is a student nurse at Johns Hopkins' hospital instead of a patient.

A surprise birthday party was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Orndorff, of near Emmitsburg, in celebration of the 21st birthday of Joseph Wivell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wivell, Emmitsburg R. D. There were approximately 150 guests who attended the celebration. The evening was spent in playing games. Refreshments were served afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eberhart, of Hanover, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence G. Frailey, West Main street.

A large butchering was held last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baumgardner. Eight hogs were killed weighing approximately 400 to 425 pounds apiece. Sixteen and one-half cans of lard were rendered. The following people helped with the butchering: Clifford "Junior" Miskell, Charles Fuss, Mr. and Mrs. John Troxell, Mr. and Mrs. John Baumgardner and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grimes, Mrs. Maurice Moser, all of Emmitsburg; Mrs. Jerry Hoskins and Mrs. George Baumgardner, of Baltimore, Md.

The juniors of the Emmitsburg high school were measured for their class rings Monday which they expect to receive sometime in the near future.

A mistake has been made on some of the posters distributed about Emmitsburg concerning the bazaar and suppers to be served at the Lutheran parish house on Saturday, December 10, at 4 p.m. The suppers to be served are turkey and oysters instead of chicken and oysters as stated in posters.

Mrs. Walter Pepple and Mrs. A. M. Patterson, West Main street, left for Michigan Monday to spend some time. Mrs. Pepple is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. "Pat" Pepple, and family of East Lansing, Mich. Mrs. Patterson is a guest at the home of Mrs. Edward Flowers, Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Straub, of Baltimore, announced the birth of a son on Wednesday, November 30. Mrs. Straub is the former Mary Ann Wivell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wivell, Emmitsburg R. D.

Johnny Glass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glass, Emmitsburg R. D., reported to Oklahoma City, Okla., last Thursday, after spending several weeks leave at the home of his parents. He was formerly stationed in Rantoul, Ill.

Miss Mary Dee Stoudt, of Baltimore, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stoudt, near Saint Anthony's.

The Entre Nous Sewing club will meet at the home of Mrs. Joshua W. Wingerd this evening.

ACTRESS DIES
Hollywood, Dec. 6 (AP) — Funeral services will be held today for Maria Ouspenskaya, famed Russian character actress who died at the age of 73 after a long illness. Maria Ouspenskaya, famous Russian character actress who died at the age of 73 after a long illness. She had been ill for many years and had been confined to a sanatorium in Moscow for the past few months.

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